

LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO  
Sixtieth Legislature Second Regular Session - 2010

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 398

BY TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO VEHICLE EQUIPMENT; AMENDING SECTION 49-959, IDAHO CODE, TO  
PERMIT THE USE OF CERTAIN REFRIGERANTS APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY AS AN ALTERNATIVE MOTOR VEHICLE  
AIR-CONDITIONING SUBSTITUTE FOR CHLOROFLUOROCARBON-12.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 49-959, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby  
amended to read as follows:

49-959. AIR-CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT. (1) Air-conditioning equipment  
shall be manufactured, installed and maintained with due regard for the  
safety of the occupants of the vehicle and the public and shall not contain  
any refrigerant which is toxic to persons or which is flammable at or below  
one thousand degrees (1000°) Fahrenheit, unless the refrigerant is included  
in the list published by the United States environmental protection agency  
as an approved alternative motor vehicle air-conditioning substitute for  
chlorofluorocarbon-12 under 42 U.S.C. section 7671k(c).

(2) No person shall have for sale, offer for sale, sell or equip any  
motor vehicle with any air-conditioning equipment unless it complies with  
the requirements of this section.

(3) No person shall operate on any highway any motor vehicle equipped  
with any air-conditioning equipment unless the equipment complies with the  
requirements of this section.